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(57) Abstract: An improved method of producing 3-amino-1,2,4-benzotriazines using nitrobenzene or a derivative thereof, a guanine salt and a base as reactants is provided. The method is carried out at a moderate reaction temperature without producing halide wastes derived from nucleophilic substitution and acid byproducts.